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MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of Central Intelligence

**SUBJECT: Recent Publicity Releases Regarding Soviet
Missile Activity, Item 2, Agenda for 27
January USIB Meeting.**

PROBLEM

1. USIB on 13 January instructed the COMINT Committee to recommend procedures for the dissemination of data on missiles or space vehicles within and outside the intelligence community, with a view to ensuring maximum security.

DISCUSSION

2. [] will make a progress report on the COMINT Committee action to date. As an initial step, NSA is establishing a new limited distribution sub-series for space tracking reports. In addition, the member agencies and departments have been requested to furnish the COMINT Committee by 28 January for its study a report on their current dissemination practices, outlining recipients, procedures, restrictions, etc. The CIA Member, [] has advised the Chairman that CIA is undertaking a series of security rebriefings, to include indoctrinated individuals in agencies for which CIA is the USIB executive agent.

ACTION RECOMMENDED

3. That USIB note the progress report and direct the COMINT Committee to proceed as expeditiously as possible with recommendations in this matter.

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